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10 CENTS PER WEEK

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY ACRES WERE SOON DEVASTATED

The Baltimore Fire Loss Will Reach One Hundred and Twenty-Five Million.

Fifty Thousand People Are Out of Work---Only One Person Was Killed in The Conflagration.

ABOUT FIFTY WERE INJURED IN THE BIG FIRE

Baltimore, Feb. 9.—When darkness fell last night the people knew the worst was over. The flames were checked. An army of firemen from many cities, working unweary and aided by a muddy little stream finally conquered a fire that will rank among the worst of conflagrations.

Worn by a night and day of terror the great crowds that watched the ruins of their city turned their way homeward and at midnight the streets were deserted save for the police and militia, who guarded the burned area. To the south a red glow marked 140 acres of devastation—seventy-five squares of property that represented values from \$75,000,000 to \$125,000,000. Not even a close approximation can be made of the loss. No guess can be made of the insurance.

TREASURES ARE SAFE.

One factor that will figure largely in the final estimates consists of the securities in the banks and trust companies whose homes were destroyed. Their vaults and safes tonight are in ruins, covered with tons of debris. Experts who have given them as close examination as possible express the belief that the contents are safe.

On the correctness or falsity of this belief depends many millions of dollars, greater or less of the final total.

Save for its physical aspects the story of the past twenty-four hours is a negative one in all that usually attends so vast a calamity. There has been little or no excitement. There has been no hysteria. There has been no disorder and, to the credit of the city of Baltimore it should be said, there has been no looting or attempt at looting. Baltimore tonight is as orderly as a village, and only the throb of the laboring fire engines and the re-venting boom of dynamite as it brings dangerous walls to the ground disturbs its wonted quiet. Men who have lost all, who were merchant princes yesterday and practically beggared tonight, view their great loss with a calm that is either the apathy of dazed senses or quiet resignation to the inevitable.

TEN DAY HOLIDAY.

Both branches of the council held a meeting last night and adopted resolutions asking Gov. Warfield, of Maryland to declare a ten day holiday.

Shortly after noon the board of managers of the Chamber of Commerce met, and after a brief discussion it was unanimously agreed that, owing to the chaotic condition of business, it was necessary to ask the governor to declare a legal ten day holiday, and to also ask for an extension of thirty days on all legal papers. A commission was appointed to wait on the governor and ask his co-operation in having the matter carried to a successful termination.

50,000 OUT OF WORK.

Col. F. Frank Supplee, a competent authority on factory statistics, estimates that the number of persons thrown out of employment will reach 50,000. Others have estimated the enforced idleness at much more.

INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS PRESENT.

Inspector of Buildings Preston, after making a careful study of the burned district, placed the building loss at \$150,000,000.

ONLY ONE KILLED.

The fire was remarkable in many ways, but more so in the lack of casualties. It can safely be said that no great fire in this country can show a

smaller dead or injured list. Up to last night only one person was reported killed and the number treated in the hospitals will not be more than fifty. The dead man was a fireman from York, Pa., who was crushed by a falling wall. In the city hospital thirty-five persons were treated during the progress of the fire and only one was compelled to remain in the institution and he was suffering from exposure.

ONE TOUCHING SCENE.

Surrounded by fire on all sides the Merchants' National Bank was the last building in its vicinity to succumb. Until the very last moment a group of employees stood in the vestibule of the building loath to leave. When finally the firemen forced them to leave, each clerk bent over and reverently kissed the heavy granite blocks that form the doorway and then took up their stand several blocks below to "see the last of her."

TOO BIG TO ESTIMATE.

Insurance companies have opened temporary offices in the Lexington hotel, but their representatives decline to estimate the loss. The answer of one is typical of all: "It's too big. We have no figures to describe it. Make it above \$100,000,000; that's the best we can do."

The city was early placed under martial law and thus all danger of looting in the doomed district was eliminated.

MANY WERE INJURED.

Approximately thirty-five persons have been injured, including one fireman seriously hurt. The city government has been entirely suspended and the city is under complete military control. The city officials are adopting the most heroic efforts to check the flames and Gov. Warfield has telegraphed to the Secretary of the Navy a request to immediately dispatch here a dynamite expert to work on gutted buildings, where bare walls are tottering at every shift of the wind and threaten to endanger life by falling at any moment. This decision was reached at a meeting of the Governor and the members of the Supreme benches.

DYNAMITE INEFFECTIVE.

Dynamite proved almost useless last night, when building after building in the neighborhood of Charles and Baltimore streets were blown up in order to stay the flames.

The fire simply jumped these vacant spaces and licked up the buildings on the far side.

TO PROVIDE RELIEF.

Already the authorities are taking steps to meet the emergency, and a special meeting of the Maryland Legislature has been called when relief legislation will be enacted. It is understood that the legislature will appropriate \$25,000,000 for relief if that amount is deemed necessary.

WHOLESALE SUFFER.

The wholesale dry goods, produce, lumber, shipping, railroad and financial interests have been destroyed, notwithstanding heroic efforts on the part of the fire departments, re-inforced by almost numberless firemen from Washington, Philadelphia, Wilmington, Newark, N. J., Harrisburg and New York City.

Starting in the wholesale section the fire burned out every wholesale house of note in the city, swept along

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IN THE COURTS

The Sallie Holmes Murder Case Again Continued.

Only a Few Cases Considered in Circuit and Other Courts Today.

IN THE COUNTY COURT

The case against Sallie Holmes, colored, for alleged murder, was called again in the police court today and continued until tomorrow morning. She is charged with killing Mary Duke.

The case against George Willow, for violating the Sabbath, continued until Monday.

Roy Nelson, violating Sabbath, \$15 and costs.

Jess Moody, \$1 and costs for a drunk.

Clifford Holland, drunk, \$1.

John Vinegar and Lee Ellis, colored, immorality, dismissed.

John Portee, colored, stealing a penny gum box from the Sleeth drug store, three months in the city jail.

Lee Ellis, colored, who shot at her husband, was held in the sum of \$150.

Anderson Ellis, breach of the peace, dismissed.

John Henry, colored, breaking into an I. C. banana car, waived examination and held in the sum of \$300.

Barney Jones, for alleged stealing hides, dismissed.

Ed Perkins and Spencer Morris, colored, breach of the peace, continued.

CIRCUIT COURT.

The \$2,000 damage suit brought by Dr. Robert Rivers against the Paducah City Railway company and the I. C. R. Co. for damages sustained in an accident at Eleventh and Broadway one afternoon last summer was given to the jury this afternoon early.

The car was struck by a string of freight cars. Miss Floy Pendley, a daughter of Dr. J. W. Pendley was one of the passengers and at press time a suit was being tried in which she seeks \$2,000 damages.

The motion for a new trial in the case of Eliza Sanderson against the Continental Insurance company was overruled and an appeal granted.

A judgment for sale was filed in the case of F. G. Rudolph, Adm., against Lena Englert.

The case of F. M. Lawrence against Armour & Co. was dismissed and settled.

SUITS FILED.

Two suits were filed in circuit court this morning by Attorneys Taylor & Lucas for J. H. Sullivan against John L. Givens, Sam Givens, G. W. Oliver and Joe W. Hughes, stockholders of the Driskill Post Hole Auger company and for J. B. Driskill against the same defendants.

The suits were brought to secure the return of 21 and 23 shares of stock in the company which was secured by a loan of money to the company and which subsequently was declared forfeited. That number of shares is sued for in each suit.

Several days ago J. H. Sullivan sued the Post Hole Auger company for \$20,000 for alleged breach of contract and those filed today makes a total of three suits filed against the company.

Laura Ray filed a suit against Will Ray asking for a divorce, alleging abandonment. They were married in this county in 1898 and separated in 1899.

Ada Peacher sues the L. and N. for \$200 damages on an organ she shipped from Bowling Green to Paducah and which she claims the L. and N. permitted to be damaged.

COUNTY COURT.

Ivo Hayden, of Sharpe, age 25 to Linzie Rhineheart, of Sharpe, age 17. First marriage of both.

C. L. Overstreet, Lovelaceville, age 36 to Nellie Titworth, Graves county, age 23. First marriage of both.

W. M. Jones of the county, age 28 to Lillie May Sleds, county, age 35. Second marriage of both.

LAW NOT VIOLATED

In the Benefit Performance at the Kentucky Sunday.

Mayor and City Attorney Disagreed on it—Manager English's Statement.

JUDGE SANDERS ALSO HAS SAY

Manager James E. English was this morning acquitted in Judge Sanders court on a charge of violating the Sunday law by giving a performance at the Kentucky theater, Sunday afternoon and evening. The warrant was issued yesterday afternoon on information furnished by Chief of Police Paulins. It is said that he received a speculative order from Mayor Yeiser to swear out the warrant, although Chief Collins did not seem to think there was anything in the charge.

Saturday night when there was some indication of probable trouble over the Sunday performances, Manager English went to City Prosecutor T. B. Harrison, and asked him about the performance. When attorney Harrison learned that it was going to be simply a benefit, he said go ahead and give it.

When the attorney later learned that the Mayor had issued orders to have a warrant issued, there came near being a "rookus," as the attorney told the Mayor he thought, as prosecutor, he had something to say about such things.

A number of ministers besought the mayor, however, to have Manager English arrested, although the city attorney said no case could be made, and the mayor ordered it.

The case came up before Judge Sanders this morning, and was promptly dismissed. Judge Sanders heard Mr. English's statement that the performance was given for the benefit of Miss Farrell, who has been ill for many months, and that he had no intention of violating the law, and was informed that he would not be violating the law. He stated that no one got any benefit except Miss Farrell, and that the fact that he had been running the Kentucky theater for three years without attempting to give Sunday performances there showed that his intention was not in this case to violate the law.

Judge Sanders in dismissing the warrant, stated that Mr. English had violated no law, and that even if he had, in view of the laudable purpose of the performance, which consisted of moving pictures and illustrated songs, he would not have assessed a fine against him. He said that the law guaranteed every man the right to worship God according to the dictates of his own conscience, and that men could not be driven to think a certain way, or forced to worship to suit other people. He declared that he thought if theaters were open on Sunday for good, moral entertainments, it might be a good thing for the public, instead of a bad thing, as it would keep many boys and men away from worse places. He did not say that the theaters ought to be open, but simply that it might be better, and that it was done in hundreds of cities in the country, and had been done for many years in many of them, hence it could not be so bad as some seem to think it is.

LEADING ATTORNEYS.

Taylor & Lucas, rooms 203-205 Fraternity building. Both phones 695.

T. B. Harrison, 13 and 14 Columbia building. Old phone 109.

Bagby & Martin, No. 225 South Fourth street, up stairs.

W. V. Eaton, 217-219 Fraternity building.

Jos. R. Grogan, Attorney-at-law, room 402 Fraternity building. Phone 686.

Rev. G. W. Perryman is suffering from la grippe at his home on North Fifth street.

TROOPS ARE NOW ON THE MOVE AND THE FIGHTING BEGINS

Reports Differ as to Which Precipitated The Crisis in Far East.

Japanese And Russian Navies Seem to be Well Prepared For The Conflict.

RUSSIAN TRANSPORTS ARRIVE AT KOREA

RUSSIA'S PREPARATIONS.

New York, Feb. 9.—The Herald says: Nagasaki, Saturday.—Russia procured transports and secretly dispatching her fleet from Port Arthur some days ago, escorted vessels loaded with full divisions of troops and landed them near the Yalu river, thus occupying Northern Korea. The Japanese also moved ships to Masampo, where during the morning files of marines took possession of certain Russian merchant vessels, including the Shilka and the Manchuria, and one ship which had been chartered by the Russian government and was engaged in loading up with a cargo of coal and stores for Port Arthur. The Japanese encountered no resistance and the steamers have now been placed under a guard.

It is reported that two other Russian vessels have been taken outside and escorted to Sascho.

PORT ARTHUR HARBOR OPEN.

Nagasaki, Feb. 9.—The war department is issuing permits to correspondents. Baron Von Rosen will leave Tokio on February 11 and will sail by a French steamer, the Yama, on February 12.

It is reported that the ice is two feet thick at Port Arthur and [that this affects the movement of torpedo boats. But I think that it is only the frozen shoals and shore waters. A letter from there indicates that the harbor was quite open up to January 31. The Japanese naval reserves have been called out.

RUSSIAN FLEET WILL FIGHT.

Nagasaki Feb. 9.—From a Russian source I am assured that their fleet will fight. For months past many colliers have cleared from Kusan for Chok Foo, but have invariably landed their coal at Port Arthur. The Russian steamer Argus was due at Nagasaki today from Dalmy, but has not yet arrived.

NOT OUR FIGHT.

Washington, Feb. 9.—State department

ment officials deny that any agreement has been made to the effect that the United States and Great Britain would intervene after Russia has crushed Japan.

SIXTY JAPANESE TRANSPORTS.

London, Feb. 9.—The Che Foo correspondent of the Daily Mail cables that sixty Japanese transports are landing troops at various ports in Korea, from Masampo and Fusan on the south to Kusan, Mokpho and Chemulpo on the west.

Seoul is said to be occupied and the landing is covered by a torpedo division. The main body of the Japanese fleet, the correspondent says, will sail in the direction of Port Arthur.

THE WORK OF THE BEAR.

London, Feb. 9.—In a dispatch dated Nagasaki, Saturday, Feb. 6, and which was delayed by the censor, a correspondent of the daily Telegraph asserts that Russia deliberately precipitated the crisis by secretly dispatching a few days ago from Port Arthur transports loaded with a full division of troops and escorted by a fleet and landing them near the Yalu river, thus occupying northern Korea.

RUSSIA INVADES CHINA.

London, Feb. 9.—In a dispatch from Tien Tsin a correspondent there of the Standard says a Russian force is reported at Kalgan (in Pechili province, 110 miles northwest of Peking and near the great wall), and that preparations are being made for the flight of the Chinese court and the removal of the imperial treasure, as it is felt that Russia will descend upon Peking.

RUSSIA'S PROSPECTS.

London, Feb. 9.—The St. James Gazette asserts on diplomatic authority that assuming Russia defeats Japan she will be confronted with a demand for the acknowledgement of Chinese sovereignty in Manchuria from Great Britain and the United States, and that she must either grant it or fight both countries.

OFF THE WIRES

Senator Hanna Is Reported Better Today.

Seven Killed in a Storm in Arkansas—Close Call Near Cairo.

BIG STATE HOUSE FRAUD

Washington, Feb. 9.—Senator Hanna's condition is a little more encouraging though the extreme weakness which has been the worst feature of his illness continues. He had a fairly quiet day, rested a little better and there was less irritability of the stomach, so that the senator was able to take more nourishment than for some days.

SEVEN WERE KILLED.

Mammoth Spring, Ark., Feb. 9.—The village of Union was completely

wiped from the earth, with the exception of one house, by a cyclone Sunday morning. Seven persons are reported killed near that place.

FAMILY'S CLOSE CALL.

Cairo, Ill., Feb. 9.—The storm which swept over this city Sunday wrecked the fine residence of L. Redden, four miles north of Vandalia, and the occupants narrowly escaped death. The house, was picked up by the wind, carried 20 feet and then dropped in a wreck. The joists, floors, etc., were twisted in such shape that not a door could be opened and the occupants had to escape through the windows. Young M. Redden and wife were aroused by the noise of the storm, and just after they left their bed a large chimney came crashing down upon it.

WHOLESALE FRAUD CHARGED.

Columbia, S. C., Feb. 9.—The committee appointed by the last session of the South Carolina legislature to inspect the alleged inferior work of the capitol building at Columbia, have rendered their report in which it is alleged wholesale fraud on the part of the contractors is charged.

Miss Maude Leffingwell, chief operator for the local Cumberland long distance toll exchange, is able to be up again after a several days' illness.

THE GRAND LODGE

Delegates to A. O. U. W. Gather Today at Louisville.

Annual Meeting of Representatives of Kentucky Have Much Business.

TWO DELEGATES FROM HERE

The twenty-fifth annual session of the Kentucky Grand lodge, A. O. U. W., the pioneer fraternal insurance society of the United States, is being held at Louisville. Messrs. L. K. Taylor and S. C. Vaughan, of Paducah, represent the local lodge, and left Sunday. The meeting promises to be the most important session held in some time, as the new perpetuating rates will be adopted.

When the Grand lodge was formed January 7, 1873, there was not in this country any other fraternal insurance order. For years the Masons and Odd Fellows had paid sick benefits and had buried their dead, but the Ancient Order of United Workmen was the first fraternity in America to furnish a solid benefit of \$2,000 to the family of each deceased member.

There had been for hundreds of years somewhat similar organizations in England, known as Friendly Societies, among them the Manchester Unity, from which came the Odd Fellows; but the American, John Jordan Upchurch, who founded the A. O. U. W. October 27, 1868, was ignorant of the existence of European societies.

Mr. Upchurch went to Louisville and on May 17, 1870, founded Enterprise lodge, the first A. O. U. W. lodge in Kentucky. Since then there have been nearly two hundred fraternal benefit societies formed, and they have paid to widows and orphans of deceased members more than \$800,000,000. The A. O. U. W. has led in amounts paid, having given to the bereaved families \$150,000,000. This does not include over \$10,000,000 paid in sick benefits.

The grand officers and grand lodge representatives are:

S. S. Blitt, Louisville, P. G. M. W. Thomas D. Osborne, Louisville, G. M. W.

S. W. Bedford, Owensboro, G. F. Henry Watson, Mt. Sterling, G. O. J. G. Walker, Louisville, Grand Recorder.

L. P. Young, Lexington, Grand Receiver.

Moses R. Glenn, Eddyville, G. G. L. O. Bailey, Salyersville, G. O. W. Dr. B. A. Garr, Louisville, Grand Medical Examiner.

Grand Trustees—John A. Lyne, Henderson; L. Lyne Herndon, Louisville; Ed T. Meek, Louisville.

AUNT CARRIE'S SPEIL

SHE APPEARS IN VAUDEVILLE WITH TOM SHARKEY.

Mrs. Carrie Nation, the "Kansas smasher," and "Tom" Sharkey, who is something of a smasher himself, were scheduled to go to a finish on the liquor question at the Unique Theater, Brooklyn, the other night. Mr. Sharkey did not appear owing to a slight indisposition, and Mrs. Nation appeared in the ring alone.

Mrs. Nation was sandwiched in between two knockabout comedians and the second part of the burlesque, which was largely composed of chorus girls in tights. She came up to time, and, after remarking that the man she was to meet had not put in an appearance, challenged the entire audience. No one was brave enough to meet the "smasher," so she simply sparred away verbally all by herself, until she received the decision.

Mrs. Nation startled her hearers by saying that she had taken a drink before coming on the stage, but she later modified this by confessing that her tippie was unfermented wine. Some of the things Mrs. Nation talked on were "Graft," "What I Do With My Money," "Hygiene," "Burlesque Shows" and "A Few of the Fifty Jails I have Been In."

—A voucher for \$5,623.78, the amount due the county from the I. O. for franchise taxes, has been deposited in the bank here for collection.

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OVER THE STATE

Murderer of Telegraph Operator Escapes Pursuers.

Old Man Burned to Death—Many Happenings of Much Interest.

A FEW CASUALTIES TODAY

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 9.—The hunt for the murderers of W. B. Rucker, the operator at Danville, still continues in Madison county. There are now about 25 men in the posse, and they are doing all in their power to run down the assassins. Captain Mullikin, with his two bloodhounds, returned to Wilmore Sunday. The storm and rain last night did a great deal toward destroying the trail so far as the dogs are concerned. The officers think that the murderers of Rucker are the same that killed Len Cassell in Madison county and are in the vicinity of their homes now. The Cincinnati Southern railroad has offered \$1,000 reward for the arrest and conviction of the murderer of Rucker. Governor Beckham has offered \$300 and the county of Boyle has offered a reward of \$50, making an aggregate reward of \$1,350.

STATE EQUALIZATION.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 9.—The state Board of Equalization for 1904, as appointed by the governor is as follows:

First district, Henry F. Oliver, of Fulton; second district, Ab G. Rhea, of Russellville; third district, J. P. Steedman, of Jefferson county; fourth district, F. J. Campbell, of Somerset; fifth district, M. J. Meagher, of Frankfort; sixth district, Rella K. Hart, of Flemingsburg; seventh district, either John Mannion or John Flannery, of Elliott county. Oliver and Meagher are the only members of the board of 1903 to be re-appointed. Mr. Meagher was chairman last year. The board meets tomorrow for re-organization.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Columbia, Ky., Feb. 9.—A man named Deering, about 70 years old, was burned to death in his home, seven miles from Breckling, this county, in a fire which destroyed his home.

The old man was very feeble, and it is supposed he tried to make his way out of the house when he discovered it was on fire, but was overcome, as his charred remains were found near the door. He was an old soldier.

A TOWN DESTROYED.

Owensboro, Ky., Feb. 9.—The town of Narrows, in Ohio county, on the Illinois Central was destroyed by the cyclone Sunday morning. No one was killed. Every house in town but one was destroyed. The loss will be \$50,000. The principal losers are Renfro and Arment, John's drug store, Pettis Grocery and Powers' saw mill.

BURNED ON POOR FARM.

Carrollton, Ky., Feb. 9.—Mrs. Clemmons, an aged inmate of the county poor farm, is dead from burns. Her mind was somewhat impaired at times, and while in this state she set fire to her bed and clothing, receiving fatal burns before discovered.

WEALTHY MAN DYING.

Madisonville, Ky., Feb. 9.—One of the wealthiest and most prominent men of Madisonville, O. E. Morton, was stricken with paralysis and can not recover. He is one of the largest real estate agents in Western Kentucky and is known all over this section of state.

PROMINENT MEN DIE.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Feb. 9.—Benjamin Wood, aged 60, and D. A. Bronaugh, aged 58, died at Pembroke yesterday. They were two of the most prominent citizens of Pembroke and the county, Mr. Wood being a merchant and Mr. Bronaugh being a farmer.

THE COUNTY SCHOOLS.

The county schools are fast closing and about 90 per cent of them have closed. The county term is only five months but next year it will be six months.

A ship on which there were several lions, burned to the water's edge in New York harbor, and the firemen had all they could do to repel an attack from the frightened lions.

TO TEST ENGINES

Illinois Central Begins an Important Experiment.

The Workings of Each Class Engine to be Observed for One Month.

AND NOTES THEN COMPARED

This month will be a month of test for the local engineers employed by the I. C., the road having decided to test all engines and ascertain just how much each class can stand and assign them accordingly. In this way it is thought the service will be bettered.

Engines are used on the Louisville and Memphis divisions of the road ranging from the unit class to the 600 class. These engines have never been thoroughly tested as to the exact tonnage they can haul and the road decided to experiment and learn just how much work each class of engines will do.

This morning Engineer R. E. McCarty was assigned to engine 26 and will remain on that engine during the month of February. Whenever out on the road Mr. McCarty is expected to keep a minutely tabulated record of the exact amount of coal used and the number of miles traversed with this amount of coal; how far he can run with a train bearing so much tonnage with a certain amount of water; what advantage can be gotten by schemes in making hills, etc., and in fact must watch every thing, even down to the sand. At the end of the month the notes will be compared and a general result secured. This will be furnished as the work this class of engines will do, and trains will be assigned to them in accordance with what they can

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pull. After all class engines have been tested the road will run no more risks of too small engines and too big trains and will know exactly what engine to assign to trains of certain tonnage.

The new arrangement is simply made to learn what engines to use on certain parts of the division and in this way the trains can be handled over the divisions with more precision and engine failures while trying to double over hills will be a thing of the past, it is hoped.

Other engineers will be assigned to other class engines and by next month the test work will be completed.

PLEASANT AND MOST EFFECTIVE.

T. J. Chambers, Ed. Vindicator, Liberty, Texas, writes December 25, 1903: "With pleasure and unsolicited by you, I bear testimony to the curative power of Ballard's Horehound Syrup. I have used it in my family and can cheerfully affirm it is the most effective and pleasant remedy for coughs and colds I have ever used." 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by DuBois, Koib & Co.

Congressman Kehoe is in Frankfort in the interest of his race for Chairman of the Democratic State central committee.

Congressman Smith is already in Frankfort, and Senator Blackburn is expected.

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Most marvelous results are obtained when Face Bleach is used according to my new Special Directions in conjunction with my Egyptian Balm, which nourishes and feeds the tissues and glands of the skin, and adds the finishing touch which refines, purifies and preserves the skin in its pristine splendor, giving it the glow of youth.

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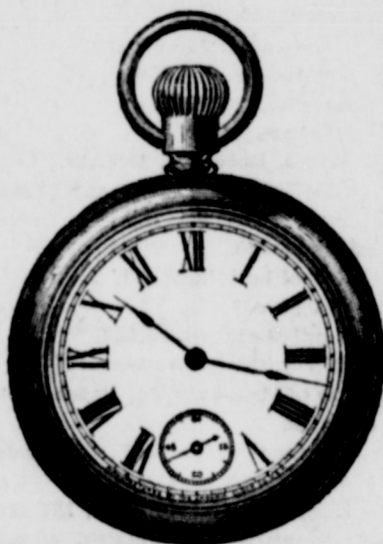
A certain Husbandman, lying at the point of death, called his sons around him, and gave into their charge his fields and vineyards, telling them that a treasure lay hidden somewhere in them within a foot of the ground. His Sons thought he spoke of money which he had hidden; and, after he was buried, they dug most industriously all over the estate, but found nothing. The soil being so well loosened, however, the succeeding crops were of unequalled richness; and the Sons then found out what their Father had in view in telling them to dig for the hidden treasure.

MANY BOYS ARE WANTING WATCHES

Just any number of boys are out working for one of The Sun's watches. The offer of a watch to every boy who will bring in ten new subscribers paid in advance is the best ever made the boys of Paducah. A few hours work in the afternoon after school is all it will take to get one of these watches and there is no reason why every boy who wants a watch, and what one does not? should not earn one.

Get out boys and get to work. Come to The Sun office and get blanks on which to enter the subscriptions.

A cut of the watch is below and it can be seen on display in Mr. J. L. Wolf's.



WILL BE REVIVAL

Of St. Valentine's Day is Expected This Year.

No Longer Silly Verses are in Vogue—Costly and Artistic Valentines Now.

Dainty Cupids, tender sentiments, and gaily-colored cards are conspicuous in the windows of the book stores and shops as the approach of February 14, St. Valentine's day, has been elaborately prepared for.

Even the confectioners have entered the field with boxes of candy especially prepared for the holiday. Many of the boxes are heart-shaped. All are prettily colored, and are tied with delicate ribbons. The dealers believe they will prove popular, because they enable the purchaser to appeal to the stomach as well as the heart of his "fair lady."

The demand for beautiful and expensive valentines this year, the dealers say, will be larger than ever before. In expectation of this, the manufacturers have greatly increased the supply. Some of the pretty trifles cost as much as \$12 or \$15, but the prices range down to meet the purse of the small boy.

Comic valentines are no longer in great demand in the cities, although they are still popular in the smaller towns. Public taste in the matter has improved, and now requires that the offerings be not only pretty and sentimental, but artistic. The verses which a few years ago were doggerel, are now often quotations from famous poets, and are of literary merit. It is no longer sufficient to say:

"Roses are red, violets are blue, Candy is sweet, and so are you." The young man this year will look for something not only pretty, but expressive of genuine sentiment, not mere sentimentality. Even the magazines, not content with printing

POLICE BOARD

Plain Clothes Detectives are Wanted for the Department

It is Also recommended That Chief Collins be Furnished a Horse and Buggy.

All the members of the fire and police commissioners board attended the regular meeting at the city hall last night. It was decided to ask the legislative boards to vote an appropriation for employing two plain clothes detectives for the police department, who are to be paid the same salary as regular police officers and to be under the direction of the police chief.

It was also decided to ask the boards for an appropriation to purchase a horse and buggy for Chief of Police James Collins, in order that he may get over the city and look after the police work better. The fire chief has a buggy and police chiefs in other cities have their buggies, hence it is not unlikely that one will be given Chief Collins.

As predicted, no action towards appointing the fire chief and stationmen was taken, as the commissioners are waiting the passage of the ordinance now before the boards regulating the salaries.

oceans of verses from the minor poets, are already appearing with covers appropriate to the seasons. Sloppy sentiment is not tolerated. The verses and the pictures are more wholesome and attractive than ever before.

EMPLOYEES SURPRISED.

Train No. 375, from St. Louis to Paducah via Brookport, came in on time this morning, exactly at 7:30 o'clock. This is the first time this train has come in on time in months and was a great surprise to the depot employees.

IS VERY SUSPICIOUS.

MR. LONNIE POWELL MAY HAVE BEEN MURDERED FOR HIS MONEY.

Mr. Dal Powell has returned from Vanduser, Mo., where he went to attend the funeral of his brother, Lonnie Powell, who was killed by a train near there last Thursday. Mr. Powell learned that his brother was probably robbed and left unconscious on the track. A freight train struck him and he died from the injuries Saturday. He was returning home from Paducah when he reached Moreland Thursday evening and wanted to get to Vanduser that night. He tried to get passage on a freight train, but failed on account of rules which made it impossible to allow him to ride, so he started afoot.

The engineer on the same train saw him a short time afterwards lying on the track and could not stop his train until the unconscious form was struck. It cut off an arm and otherwise injured the man, who seems to have been assaulted and robbed and left on the track. He had about \$15, when he left Paducah, but only about 35 cents when found. He died Saturday without regaining consciousness and the remains were buried Sunday at his home.

REV. CARLISLE P. B. MARTIN, L. L. D.

Of Waverly, Texas, writes: "Of a morning, when first arising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm which produces a cough and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it, and it is so pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons needing a medicine for throat or lung trouble." 25c, 50c and \$1.

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—An ice factory is to be built in Murray in time for this summer's business. Prominent men of that place are behind the project.

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Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you in 6 to 14 days. 50c



DON'T NEGLECT YOUR COLD

"First I took a little cold"—so begins the story of many a helpless invalid whose "little cold," by neglect or careless doctoring, has developed into a serious if not fatal malady. No cold will bear trilling with, especially where any of the organs are already weakened or the system run down. La grippe, bronchitis, catarrh and consumption are not the only results to be dreaded; other diseases may follow a cold and quickly become too deep-seated to be overcome by medical skill. To be on the safe side, break up your cold in the beginning with a big dose of

DR. THACHER'S LIVER AND BLOOD SYRUP

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Continue its use until your system is relaxed and the congestion removed. It will soon build up the liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels and enable them to resist disease.

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NAME CHANGED

THE IROQUOIS TO BE THE NORTHWEST.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—A contract has been let for refitting and redecorating the Iroquois Theater in which 572 persons were lost on December 30 last. It has been uncertain whether the Iroquois would open again as a playhouse but the letting of the contract for repairs indicates that the theater will be re-opened to the public as a place of amusement. The cost of the repairs will be about \$22,000, and the management hopes to re-open the house in the early spring.

It is said the name of the theater will be changed to the "Northwest."

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We urge our customers to use only the best. We find many cheap and refilled lamps used by our patrons which give poor light and cause complaint. We use and recommend the Columbia lamps sold by

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ACCEPTS NEW POSITON.

Mr. Wallace Thornberry, of 1636 Harrison street, who has been in the civil engineering department of the Illinois Central railroad, has resigned and left to day for Kansas City, Mo., to accept a position with the O'Connell Construction company.

HARD DISTRICT

PADUCAH DISPATCHERS HAVE UNUSUALLY HARD WORK.

It is said that the district handled by the local I. C. dispatchers is the hardest on the system and that few other railroads have any harder division to work than this.

There are sixteen big mines between here and Louisville, some loading nearly a hundred cars of coal per day, and all this output has to be hauled away to make room for more cars to be handled the next day. The dispatchers, besides having to handle the many passenger and freight trains, have to look after these coal trains. It certainly requires the best of dispatching material to "make good" on this division, and Paducah has the best to be found anywhere.

—Mr. O. W. Thompson, of the Racket store, has gone to New York to purchase goods, and while away will purchase furnishings for the Chess, Checker and Whist Club, which is to spend several hundred dollars in that way.

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Novelty silks just received for shirt waist suits. A most beautiful line in patterns only.

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A most select line in quality and patterns—all new and fresh and fresh and 'twill do you good just to look through the new designs and materials. From 10c dress gingham to \$1.00 fancy madras, and between you will find many and sundry things to suit your fancy and price.



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Personally appeared before me this day E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of Jan., 1904, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PETERKAR,

Notary Public McCracken County.

My commission expires at the end of the next session of the senate.
Feb. 1, 1905.

THE WEATHER.

Snow tonight and Wednesday.

The installation of street car conductors in Paducah is a stride forward towards metropolitan importance, and will be greatly appreciated by those who ride on cars, as well as beneficial to the city by making outsiders think that we have some city ways at least.

Mr. Will Farley, of Mechanicsburg, will be a candidate for delegate from this district to the national Republican convention, and the Republicans of the district could not do better than elect him. Mr. Farley is an energetic Republican, a young man and a good speaker and will doubtless make a good showing in the race at the proper time.

Paducah is growing steadily, and there is talk of many new institutions and business establishments soon to be in the city. One of the latest projects is a company something similar to a building and loan company, which is now about organized by some of the most substantial and prominent men in Paducah. It is likely that in a few days it will be organized and take its place among the institutions of the city.

Major Wood, of Mt. Sterling, appointed pension agent of Kentucky, is an old soldier and a highly respected and much liked man. He has a host of friends who will be pleased to learn of his appointment, and who know that he will administer the affairs of the office in a manner creditable to himself and satisfactory to the government. Major Wood is one of the most prominent Republicans of Kentucky and has many admirers.

If there is anything in the school book bill that Governor Beckham thought was wrong, or might prove inimical to the interests of the people he should have vetoed it, not allowed it to become a law without his signature. If the bill was passed in the interest of any book company, as it is said the governor charges, then he should have vetoed it just as quickly as if every provision were detrimental to the interests of the people. A bill of this description with one objectionable feature is not fit to be on the statute books of a state.

A new question has been sprung in Louisville in the suit of an insurance company against the Louisville Water company for losses sustained by the company in a recent fire. The company sues to recover money paid on fire policies, on the ground that the water pressure was not strong enough.

For Indigestion

Bad breath, sour risings, a sense of fullness after eating, belching of gas, heart burn, no appetite and a loss of strength are some of the symptoms the person must endure whose stomach and digestive organs fail to digest and assimilate the food they eat. If not cured catarrh of the stomach is the result.

For a number of years I was troubled with Dyspepsia and indigestion. It grew into the worst form, nothing I used did me any good. Finally I tried Kodol and after using four bottles I was entirely cured. Kodol does all that you claim for it. I recommend it to all sufferers from Dyspepsia and indigestion.—Mrs. Carrie Granfill, Tray, I. T.

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Kodol represents the natural juices of digestion as they exist in a healthy stomach. It cleanses, purifies and sweetens the stomach, and cures positively and permanently all stomach troubles, indigestion and dyspepsia. It restores health to the stomach and strength to the body by enabling the stomach and digestive organs to digest and assimilate all of the wholesome food that may be eaten. Makes the sick well and the weak strong.

Bottles only.—Regular Size, \$1.00, holding 1 1/2 times as much as the trial size which sells for 50 cents. Prepared only by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, U. S. A.

The 1904 Kodol Almanac and 200 Year Calandar will be sent free on receipt of two cents in postage by addressing E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago.

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The water company comes back in a reply and alleges that it is a well known principle of fire fighting that the more water is thrown on a fire the hotter the fire, and that this was the case in Louisville. This may be true, as water may have a disastrous effect on anything it is used on in Louisville. Water either poured down or thrown on, most any Kentuckian is calculated to make him hot, but we didn't know it applied to fires.

There is one thing about Police Judge D. L. Sanders. He is without fear or favor, says what he thinks, and usually has good, sound sense to back it up. Judge Sanders learned long ago that one part of a community can't force the other part to live as it dictates, law or no law. Mayor Carter Harrison, in a recent article, declares that a large number of city laws are intended merely as ornaments, and not to be enforced, and that if any effort were made to enforce them, officers of the law would be lynched. He also declared that no matter what laws might exist on the books, they should not be enforced if public sentiment doesn't want them enforced. This may not be good or safe logic, but it is based on the experience of the mayor of one of the greatest cities in the world.

It is to be hoped that the legislative boards of Paducah will not take seriously the proposition to place into commission two or more "plain clothes" officers, if additional expense has to be incurred to do it. We might have 100 more police officers than we have now and still there would not be enough, from one standpoint, at least, as the city is so large that one officer to the block would still leave room for complaint. There would always be some part of the block he could not watch constantly. But as to the plain clothes proposition, whenever Paducah needs plain clothes officers, let some of the regular officers be detailed to do the plain clothes work. It is not often that there is any use for officers of this description in a city the size of Paducah, and when there is, any policeman could wear plain clothes long enough to do the work.

CASE PUT OFF

LIGHTFOOT, THE COLORED
BRAKEMAN, TO HAVE
TRIAL FEB. 22.

Officer Dick Tolbert, watchman for the local L. C., returned this morning from Memphis where he had gone to act as a witness in the case against William Lightfoot, colored, charged with the murder of Roy M. Sloan at Woodstock, Tenn., on a Sunday night in January.

Lightfoot was caught here and held over by Police Judge Sanders. He was taken to Memphis a few days ago and yesterday the case was called for trial. On account of preliminaries the case was continued until the 22d of this month.

It is understood that Lightfoot will only attempt to establish an alibi as he did here, and will have two dozen or more from here.

WILL MEET AGAIN

ELKS BUILDING COMMITTEE
DID NOT FINISH ITS WORK
YESTERDAY.

The Elks Building association held a meeting last night and looked over two sets of plans, but on account of the illness of one member, Attorney J. C. Flournoy, no action was taken, and the members present adjourned until tomorrow night, when it is hoped to hold another meeting and do something definite.

140 ACRES IN RUINS

(Continued from first page)

through the Baltimore and Fayette street retail sections, destroyed all the prominent office buildings, leveled banks and brokerage offices, as well as the Chamber of Commerce and Stock exchange, in the financial section, then sped on through the wholesale and export trade sections centering about Exchange place.

All electrical power has been destroyed and no street cars are running.

FIRE COMPANIES USELESS.

Baltimore's equipment of twenty-five engines were almost useless. Reinforced by four companies from Washington, as many more from Philadelphia, two more from Wilmington, and another from Chester, Pa., it was still unable to check the fire.

BROKE OUT AGAIN.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 9.—The fire gained fresh headway at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and attacked the President street station, said to be the oldest passenger station in the world.

The fire eat its way along President street to Thames street. This is along the river basin. The burning area was largely populated by Italians and a large element of other foreign persons. It took twenty-seven hours to stop the progress of the great fire.

FOR BALTIMORE'S RELIEF.

Washington, Feb. 9.—A bill was introduced in the house by Representative Emrich, of Illinois, appropriating \$1,000,000 for the relief of sufferers from the Baltimore fire.

THE PROBABLE LOSS.

New York, Feb. 9.—Fire insurance brokers in this city estimate the minimum loss to insurance companies in the Baltimore fire at \$30,000,000. The losses of the big companies are now placed at from \$500,000 to \$2,000,000 each.

PREIDENT ROOSEVELT AIDS.

Washington, Feb. 9.—President Roosevelt went to the assistance of the city of Baltimore by ordering United States engineers to that city to assist in checking the spread of the flames there.

The force was under command of Major Burr and the engineers, one hundred strong, were drawn from the Washington barracks. They carried with them 1,600 pounds of gun cotton with fuses and electrical detonators.

At the urgent request of Senator Gorman, and upon his pledge and that of the governor of Maryland, that the legislature of Maryland would tonight pass a resolution calling upon the national government for military assistance, Lieutenant General Chaffee commanding the general staff, sent telegraph orders to Major General Corbin, commanding the department of the East, at New York, to proceed forthwith to Baltimore and take military command of the situation there. Nearly 1,000 soldiers also have been ordered to serve under him.

SOME HEAVY LOSSES.

Baltimore, Feb. 9.—The following includes a partial list of the individual losses of \$100,000 and over incident to the conflagration. The estimates cover buildings and contents:
John E. Hurst, dry goods (over \$1,000,000 insurance) \$1,500,000
William Koch, importing company 150,000
The Daniel Miller company, dry goods (carry more than \$1,000,000 insurance on contents) 1,500,000

Dixon & Bartlett company, shoes	750,000
Joyner, Wise & Co., hats and caps	100,000
Sprague, Buck & Co., shoes	125,000
Cohn, Adler Shoe company	125,000
L. S. Fitman, ladies' wrappers; Jacob R. Seligman, paper, and Nathan Rosen, ladies' cloaks	100,000
Mornton, Samuels & company, boots and shoes, and Strauss Bros., storage	100,000
Bates Rubber company	135,000
Guggenheimer, Well & company, lithographers and printers	125,000
M. Friedman & Sons, clothing, and F. Schleunes, clothes	150,000
Schwartzkopf Toy company	100,000
National Exchange Bank, building and contents	125,000
S. Lewman & company, clothing	125,000
John E. Hurst & company, storage	150,000
Lawrence & Gould, shoe company, and Bates Hat company	150,000
S. Ginsburg & company, clothing	125,000
Wingelmann & Brown, dry goods	1,500,000
Chesapeake Shoe company	100,000
S. F. and A. F. Miller, clothing manufactures	150,000
S. Halle Sons, boots and shoes	100,000
Strauss Bros., dry goods	250,000
A. C. Meyer & company, patent medicines	150,000
Strauss, Elsemann & company, shirt manufacturers	150,000
North Bros. & Strauss	150,000
McDonald & Fisher, wholesale paper	100,000
Wiley, Bruster & company, dry goods, and E. W. and E. Damman, clothing	125,000
Henry Oppenheimer & company clothing, and Van Sant, Jacobs & company, shirts	175,000
Lewis Lauer & company, shirts	100,000
Champion Shoe Manufacturing company and Driggs, Currin & company, shoes	100,000
Mendel Bros., ladies' wrappers	125,000
Blankenberg, Gehrmann &	

company, notions	125,000
Leo Keene & company, ladies' cloaks, and Henry Pretzfelder & company, boots and shoes	125,000
Peter Rohe & Son, harness manufacturers	125,000
James Roberts Manufacturing company, plumbers' supplies	100,000
R. J. Anders & company, boots and shoes, and James Robertson Manufacturing company, storage	100,000

THE CITY OF BALTIMORE.

Assessed value of real estate, \$264,000,000.
Assessed value of personal property, \$234,000,000.
Public debt, \$40,000,000.
Population, 550,000.
Area 36 square miles.
Tax rate, \$1.86.
Mayor, Robert M. McLane.
Chief of Police Thomas F. Faraan.
Postmaster, S. Daviess Warfield; salary \$6,000.
School buildings, 111.
Teachers, 1,679.
Pupils enrolled, 63,953.
Called the Monumental City because of the number of monuments it contains.
Baltimore was laid out January, 1730.
Distant from New York, 187 miles.
Distant from Washington, 40 miles.

ONE CANDIDATE

MR. WILL FARLEY MAY BE DELEGATE TO NATIONAL CONVENTION.

Mr. Will Farley, son of Captain Ed Farley, will be a candidate for delegate from the First district to the National Republican convention at Chicago. It is not known how many other candidates there will be, but it is likely there will be a number of them in other sections.
It is probable the county and district conventions will be held between now and April 11, but just what time has not been decided. Mr. Farley will probably get the undivided support of Republicans in this section of the district, in addition to what strength he may develop in other localities.

CAUGHT AT LAST

Henry Donald Arrested at Caruthersville, Mo.

Killed Tobe Williams Here Over a Year Ago in Burnett's Stable.

Henry Donald, colored, who drove one of the Leigh Fruit company's and other wagons for some time here, and shot and killed Tobe Williams in Cliff Burnett's stable near Fifth and Madison streets January 21, 1903, was arrested today by Marshal D. E. Green, at Caruthersville, Mo., and will be brought back here at once.
Donald was known for his loud voice. He and Williams drove for Mr. Burnett at the time of the killing, and fell out over feeding the stock. Donald shot Williams, who died soon afterwards. He escaped and was never heard of again until today when Chief Collins received word of his capture. A reward of \$100 will be paid for him.

RUNAWAY HORSE

A runaway horse dashed into L. B. Ogilvie's show window on Broadway this afternoon at 3:30 and received injuries which will prove fatal to itself and narrowly missed crushing two infant children of Mrs. Clem Eaker who was wheeling her youngest infant in a buggy when the horse jumped over the vehicle. The horse narrowly escaped running down several pedestrians before it finally landed in the big window which was shattered into fragments. The child was bruised and slightly cut but not seriously injured.

MR. TOBIAS KETTLER DYING.

Mr. Tobias Kettler, of South Third street, is in a dying condition and not expected to live through the night. He has been ill since last fall from consumption of the bowels. His daughter, Mrs. Maggie Sweeney, of St. Louis, has been telegraphed to come home.

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The Powder That Won't Fall Off

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Mrs. Foster writes:

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LOCAL LINES.

—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.
—Vote in the World's Fair contests.
—Pittsburg screened coal for immediate delivery. Telephone 64, E. Farley & Son.
—Charles E. Thacker and others to Mary M. Braddock, for \$200, property on Willie street.
—A new line of Carbon Paper, Typewriter Papers and Ribbons. The very best the market affords at lowest prices at R. D. Clements Book Store.
—Old carriages made to look new by G. B. Sexton the sign writer. Dull season now and work done cheap and well. Shop 16th and Madison. Old phone.
—Mary Clark, colored, charged with stealing a watch from Mr. A. F. Lagerwald, was taken to the reform school.
—Mr. Wm. Keys, of the drug firm of Pate & Keys, Seventh and Tennessee, has decided to move to Murray, and has sold his interest to his partner, Mr. Marvin Pate, who will hereafter have charge.
—Mr. E. E. Bell, who lost his spoke and rim factory a short time ago expects his factory on South Third to be running again in full blast shortly. Machines are coming in every day, and yesterday a part of them were started up.
—Agent Garrison, of the local Van Noy news and lunch stand, has resigned. He succeeded Mr. P. H. Lunn only a few days ago as manager of the stand. He went to New Orleans, being unable to remain here longer on account of his health.
—Mr. R. E. Ashbrook, agent, received a telegram from the New York Underwriters' Agency yesterday afternoon which stated that, with characteristic promptness, this company was already adjusting and paying its Baltimore losses. Mr. Ashbrook, who has been in the insurance business in this city for thirty years, represents a number of the oldest and strongest companies, and his patrons will feel no uneasiness. The large Baltimore fire will not seriously affect any company he represents, and he solicits investigation of his companies by all wanting good, first class indemnity. Office, 118 South Fifth street.

INTERESTING SERVICE.

The service last night in the revival meeting in progress at the First Cumberland Presbyterian church was attended with much interest. The pastor, Rev. George O. Bachman, took for his subject, "Naaman the Leper." He compared leprosy to sin and made a strong appeal to unconverted people. Several came forward for prayer at the close of the service.

K. AND L. OF H. NOTICE.

The members of Esther lodge, Knights and Ladies of Honor, are called to meet at their hall, Wednesday at 1:30 p. m. to attend the funeral of Brother O. C. Kitter.

MRS. M. O. McELHANEY, Sec.
J. A. JAMES, Protector.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rearden, of Chickasaw, Indian Territory, arrived on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pearson. Mrs. Rearden is a sister of Mrs. Pearson.

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ABOUT THE CITY HALL

Police Have no Trace of Bennett Wanted for Murder.

President Reed Receives Gift—The Frankfurt Delegation leaves.

OTHER CITY HALL NEWS.

The police have lost track entirely of John Bennett, the steamboat mate who shot Charlie Allison on the steamer Thomas Nevins on the South side September 29th. In fact, they never could find any trace of him after the shooting.

Allison lingered at the city hospital for weeks after the shooting, with remarkable tenacity of life, and it was predicted that he would not live longer than a few days. Days lengthened into weeks, and weeks into months, and finally he was taken to his home in Bowling Green about the first of the year, a hopeless cripple. He lingered until he died yesterday, as told in the Sun, and the police are now redoubling their efforts to apprehend Bennett, who is charged with murder instead of malicious shooting.

Mayor D. A. Yeiser, Alderman Gus Singleton and Councilman Riglesberger, accompanied by Mr. George Dains, secretary of the Commercial club, left at noon for Frankfurt to look after charter amendments they desire passed by the legislature.

President Hannan, of the council, was unable to go and sent Councilman Riglesberger in his place. Alderman Singleton is not a regular member of the committee and like Mr. Dains went up to assist the committee if assistance is needed. City Solicitor Puryear did not go on account of illness.

Alderman Durrett left yesterday to represent President Reed, of the board of aldermen.

President Charles Reed, of the Board of Aldermen, today received from Col. Collier, a Memphis friend, a large and peculiar looking box labeled "collars and cuffs." Inside was a large quart bottle of some sort of "bitters," which has the proper appearance if not taste. President Reed did not open the bottle and does not know for certain what it is, but he thinks it is something good fixed up for shipment into local option states and counties.

The legislative boards, if present plans mature, will shortly make decided improvements in Oak Grove cemetery, and have the colored and white lots permanently separated. Councilman Jackson is chairman of the committee, but is not yet ready to announce his plans, which are understood to be for extended changes.

TO BE TAKEN UP AGAIN.

Attorney J. V. Eaton stated today that a brother of the girl whom it was alleged had been ruined by her step father, Bud Elrod, of the county, insisted on further investigation, and that witnesses in the county who are alleged to know something about the case have been summoned to appear before Justice R. J. Barber Saturday and answer questions. It is said the girl has made so many statements about it that the commonwealth will have to look elsewhere for testimony.

Social Notes and About People.

A HANDSOME PRESENT.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Ashbrook have been presented with a handsome silver soup ladle, by the young ladies employed at the Central station of the Independent Telephone company, as a testimonial of regard to Mr. Ashbrook as the retiring manager of the company. It is engraved with the inscription "From the Girls." The men employees of the company, as mentioned yesterday, presented Mr. Ashbrook with an Elks head watch chain.

Mr. Ashbrook and the new manager, Mr. D. A. Smith went to Marion, Ky., today to inspect the exchange there. Mr. Smith has announced that there will be no changes made in the Paducah office.

ATTRACTIVE ENTERTAINMENT.

The ladies of the First Christian church have secured Prof. Felix Heink, a noted German pianist and vocalist, for an entertainment, Tuesday evening, February 16, in the lecture room of the church. The ladies desire to announce that the hour for the entertainment will be arranged so that it will not conflict with Dr. Burris Jenkins lecture at the Broadway Methodist church.

PARTY FOR GUESTS.

Mrs. John W. Keiler is entertaining with an elaborate "encheire party" this afternoon, at the Palmer in honor of Mrs. Aaron W. Williams, of Chicago, and Mrs. Max B. Nahm, of Bowling Green.

TO GIVE DANCE.

The young ladies of the 316 Club will Friday evening next give a dance at the K. of P. hall to some of their young men friends.

DELPHIC CLUB.

The Delphic Club met this morning with Mrs. John P. Campbell, on Broadway.

Miss Minnie Bitts is visiting in Evansville.

Miss Laura Lattrell spent Sunday in Eddyville.

Mr. H. O. Allison went to Wingo this morning on business.

Mrs. L. E. Dodd and children have returned from visiting in Benton.

Mr. H. Wallerstein and wife have returned from a visit to St. Louis.

Mr. Mike Danaher, Jr., has returned from Texas, to again reside here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mulkey, of Memphis, are at the New Richmond.

Captain E. W. Crumbaugh has returned from Louisville after a several days' visit.

Mrs. Julia McCuen, of New Orleans, is the guest of Mrs. J. A. Rudy on Kentucky avenue.

Mr. J. M. Luttrell and son returned yesterday from Dover, Tenn., where they went on business.

Postman Charles Thacker, transferred to Clarksburg, West Va., leaves tonight for his new home.

Mr. H. O. Rhodes, of the Rhodes-Burford establishment, went to Louisville on business yesterday.

Mr. Henry Weissinger, of Louisville, is visiting the family of his father-in-law, Captain George O. Hart.

Mrs. Hal Walters and sister, Miss Willie Ogilvie, left today for Charleston, Mo., where their mother is quite ill.

Mr. Hop H. Holman, of Madisonville, is in the city. He is past master for the Grand Lodge of Masons for Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Meyers arrived home today from New Albany, Ind., where they were called by the death of Mr. Meyer's uncle.

Mr. Nick Schmidt, of South Third street, has returned from Evansville, where he was called last week on account of the death of his father.

Miss Maud Harrison returned yesterday to her home in Clarksburg, Tenn., after visiting her aunt, Mrs. Gus Singleton, of North Sixth street.

Messrs. R. E. and J. P. McCarty went to Princeton today at noon to attend the bedside of their mother who is dangerously ill.

Mr. A. C. Mitchell went to Cadiz today at noon on business.

Mrs. C. O. Griffin, Mrs. H. L. Newton and Miss Hattie Taylor arrived from Fulton today at noon.

Mrs. W. E. McGary left today at noon for Earlington to visit.

Mr. Charles Gilbert, the pianist, went to Kuttawa today at noon on business.

Mr. J. R. Martin went to Greenville today at noon.

Miss Aylene Jones returned to Princeton today at noon after visiting



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WOOD—Plenty of dry wood for cooking and heating stoves—Deliver to any part of city. Terrell D. Fookes, Cairo Road. Old phone 422 A.

FOR RENT—The office in the rear of the Paducah Banking company, formerly occupied by the Steam Heating Co. Apply to Friedman, Keller & Co.

WANTED.

A second hand, hand elevator. E. D. THURMAN, St. Nicholas Hotel.

LOST—At the Kentucky theatre Saturday night a pair of green enamel opera glasses, containing the initials L. W. R., in a pink silk opera bag. Finder will please return to this office.

Miss Bella Coleman.

Mrs. W. E. Caruahan, of Marion, returned home today at noon after a short visit in the city.

TO GET BOATRIGHT OUT.

A brother of Doss Boatright, the man now waiting the action of the federal court in a counterfeiting charge, is in the city today arranging to get his brother out of jail on bond. He states that he will probably be able to give a cash bond by tonight. Boatright was to have been tried this afternoon, it is understood, but the trial was not in progress at press time.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Basil Phelps a son.

GOOD WORK

DONE DAILY IN PADUCAH—MANY CITIZENS TELL OF IT.

Nearly every reader has heard of Doan's Kidney Pills. Their good work in Paducah still continues, and our citizens are constantly adding endorsement by public testimony. No better proof of merit can be had than the experience of friends and neighbors. Read this case:

T. W. Woodson, of 40 South Ninth street, painter employed with O. D. Warren, 408-1-2 Broadway, says: "Every painter is more or less troubled with his kidneys on account of the nature of his work. We all know what caused it, but how to remove it is the mystery. I tried lots of medicine and different schemes, but until I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at DuBois & Co.'s drug store and took a course of the treatment I met with very indifferent success. They cured the last attack."

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Theatrical Notes.

It is seldom that local theatergoers have an opportunity to see such an attraction as Harris & Sidman in "Pousse Caff," Weber & Fields' famous duo of German dialect comedians, and the local management is to be congratulated on arranging for their appearance at The Kentucky tonight and tomorrow night. These successful comedy stars have pleased thousands throughout the country and the play itself contains every element which the public demands at the present time. To begin with, there is an underlying plot of genuine humor and around it has been built a structure which is altogether new, original and novel. The entertainment is brilliant with new music, pretty girls, beautiful costumes and elaborate scenery.

"The Hoosier Girl" was presented last night at The Kentucky theatre to a fairly large crowd, and was a good show. It was here last season, but does not seem to be exactly what most Paducah people like best although it is a clever show and was greatly enjoyed last night.

MARDI GRAS
NEW ORLEANS,
FEB. 10TH-16TH.

For above occasion the Illinois Central railroad company will sell round trip tickets from Paducah for \$15.65, dates of sale Feb. 9th to 15th, inclusive, tickets good returning until Feb. 20th, 1904. By depositing ticket with Special Agent at New Orleans not later than 8 p. m. Feb. 20th, 1904, and on payment of fee of 50 cents, an extension may be obtained, permitting passengers to remain in New Orleans not later than March 5th, 1904. Stop overs will be permitted at various points going and returning. W. H. Mustain, Ticket Agent; J. T. Donovan, Agent.

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REVISING RULES

The Board of Education Committee Finishes Tonight.

The Present Rules do Not Conform to the Second Class Charter.

CALLER SESSION OF THE BOARD

Tonight the committee on rules and regulations of the Board of Education will hold a final meeting to complete the work of revising the rules and regulations of the schools.

This committee has been meeting for several weeks and has quietly gone over all the work to be done towards the revision. Tonight the matter will be finally settled and following the meeting the board of education will be called together in special session, probably before the week is out, to act on the work of the committee.

"Since the city went into cities of the second class," Supt. Lieb stated, "no revision of the rules and regulations had been made, the rules we have been working under do not all conform to the second class charter.

"There are certain privileges given us now which we did not have before and we want to take advantage of them. The charter also provides that we organize in January, immediately after the election, and it is compulsory that we do. Heretofore we had been organizing, I understand, in February."

A new committee called the committee on boundary, is provided for under charters of the second class and this committee will have to be appointed at the next meeting. There is some talk of electing a successor to Mr. Fuller who resigned, but this was held up until the next regular meeting. It can be re-considered and voted on at the special meeting however. Mr. Will McFadden was asked at the last meeting to resign until the next regular meeting, so no action will be taken on his resignation.

A GOOD PLAN

PUBLIC SEEMS TO APPRECIATE STREET CAR CONDUCTORS.

The action of the Paducah City Railway company in placing conductors on street cars has been loudly applauded by the general public and conductors will hereafter run permanently on the system except on South Sixth and Jackson streets.

The conductors work alternately between switches doing the work of two conductors and this plan will be maintained until the business becomes such that a regular conductor will necessarily be assigned to each regular car.

Yesterday was the first day the conductors were out and it required some little time to get them alternating smoothly but today all has gone well and the new men have become used to their work.

CURED LUMBAGO.

A. B. Canman, Chicago, writes March 4, 1903: "Having been troubled with lumbago at different times and tried one physician after another; then different ointments and liniments, gave it up altogether. So I tried once more, and got a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment, which gave me almost instant relief. I can confidently recommend it, and will add my name to your list of former sufferers."

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HAD WEALTH

DID AN ILLINOIS FARMER WHO DIED RECENTLY.

Carbondale, Ill., Feb. 9.—W. H. Brush died near the village of Grand Tower, in this county, several days ago. He was a farmer and led a secluded life, his neighbors knowing little about him. He made few friends and was generally disliked because of his parsimony and peculiar manners. It was known that he had three farms in the locality, but the supposition was that they were only in part his. He was married and the father of one son.

While sick last week Brush refused proper medical attention. His life secret was so guarded that even his wife and son knew nothing of his wealth, and at his death the widow supposed that all available money to pay funeral expenses consisted of \$50 she had received from the sale of a cow. After the obsequies letters were found which revealed considerable wealth. His trunk was opened, which in life he jealously guarded, and a stack of county, state and municipal bonds found valued at close to \$30,000. He had conducted his business through a St. Louis broker. His wealth was found to largely exceed \$35,000.

FAST SERVICE

ILLINOIS CENTRAL TO PUT ON NEW AND ELEGANT EQUIPMENT.

Word comes from Chicago that the Illinois Central will provide liberal and attractive equipment for the World's Fair trains, the extent of the equipment to be to the limit of the demands of the business. A number of new chair cars and Pullman sleepers will be added, also new engines. Ten new passenger engines of the Atlantic improved type are now being delivered for service, the Memphis division to receive about one-half of the completed order. These engines are said to be faster than the large engines of the same type already in use between Memphis and St. Louis and Memphis and Chicago. The time to St. Louis over all divisions will be reduced.

IN ALASKA

ATTORNEY CORBETT LEAVES ON IMPORTANT MISSION.

Mrs. Hal Corbett and children have arrived from Montana, where they have been residing for the past several years. Mr. Corbett has gone to Alaska on important business in connection with a big lawsuit, and will probably be gone quite a while, as transportation facilities are not good to the Klondike. Mrs. Corbett and children will reside here in the meantime, and perhaps Mr. Corbett will live here when he returns.

DEEDS.

J. M. Clarke and others to J. Boone Clarke, for \$505, property on Smithland avenue.

J. Boone Clark to U. H. Clark, for private considerations, property in the Worten addition.

Executor of Wm. F. Norton, Jr., to Chas. T. Trueheart, for \$400, property on Campbell street.

Ed. McClure to W. A. McClure, for \$435, property in the county.

Geo. C. Thompson and others to John S. Hunt, for \$225, property in the West End.

Lightning struck and killed a 12 year old boy at Richmond, but a baby which he held in his arms was uninjured.

According to a report from Berlin a Japanese warship has seized several Russian trading vessels.

HEAD-END SMASH-UP

Freight Trains Met at Clay Switch Yesterday.

Two Hurt But No One Was Killed.

Clay Switch, a small station a few miles south of Mayfield on the Fulton district of the I. C., was the scene of another head-end freight wreck yesterday afternoon about 5:30 o'clock, but fortunately only two members of the crew were injured and they only slightly.

The trains were Nos. 192, the north bound local pulled by engine 872 in charge of Engineman Hollingsworth and the south bound manifest freight No. 155, engine No. 690, in charge of Engineman Herbert Morrison, and were running about 20 miles an hour when they met.

All the crew jumped and escaped except Robert Person and Malvin Bonner, colored, who sustained slight injuries. Person is a brakeman and got an injured knee while Bonner, a laborer, was bruised slightly. Both men are in the hospital.

The engines were badly smashed up and several cars in the trains damaged badly. The local wrecker was sent out and made good speed in cleaning the debris away and repairing the torn up track. The afternoon accommodation train and the fast passenger train were both delayed by the accident.

NULLIFYING THE FIFTEENTH AMENDMENT.

It is proposed by certain members of the Democratic party to repeal or nullify the three war amendments by an act of the Kentucky Legislature and the vote of the State.

At a Democratic caucus or conference last night, there were men who rose above the fogs of partisan politics, and for a moment saw things as they are.

Mr. Drewry was the frankest of all, but he stated a fact of great political significance. In 1897 the Democrats carried Kentucky by 18,000; then by tampering with the ballot threw the state away.

Mr. Eli Brown opposed action on this measure because it was unwise and uncalled for.

Mr. R. T. Raines, of Calaway, to'd the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, when he said the bill was intended to do what the constitution of the United States said should not be done, and was sure we were resorting to revolutionary measures when no revolution was necessary and when it was sure to fail.

The constitution of the United States does not enfranchise the negro; it merely forbids the State to disfranchise the negro, because he is a negro. There is nothing to prevent a property qualification, or an educational qualification, but it must be applied to white and black alike.

It would be a great gain to Kentucky a great gain to the Democratic party, if the opposition to this Heflin bill should prevail in a legislature overwhelming Democratic.

THE WORD WAS FAMILIAR.

Scholar Naturally Misled by Modern Slang Term.

A West Philadelphia Sunday school teacher has a class of a dozen small boys, ranging in their ages from 6 to 8 years. Not long ago the lesson was from the twenty-second chapter of Genesis, upon the temptation of Abraham to offer Isaac for a sacrifice. The teacher told them in as simple language as possible the story of the going into the mountain and the preparation for the sacrifice, and when all was ready she explained that Abraham saw a kid caught in the bushes and took that and killed it. There was an awed silence for a moment when she had finished, and then one little lad gasped, with eyes wide with horror: "A 'kid!' What a boy?"

NEWS NOTES.

News has been received of the death in New Orleans of Mr. J. H. Abraham, who married Miss Stella Bloom, of Louisville.

Detectives at Bedford claim to have the murderer of Miss Sarah Shaefer located and promise an arrest. He is a rejected lover, and is not a resident of Bedford.

Both Japan and Russia are rushing their forces to Korea, and it is regarded as impossible to avoid hostilities. No declaration of war has yet been made, but it is expected at any moment.

EXTRA POLICE

On in the Business Part of the City at Present.

Merchants Uncertain of the Future of Companies in Which they are Insured, Want Protection.

BUSINESS CENTER PROTECTED

A question that is interesting local property holders, as well as property owners all over the state, is how many insurance companies will be ruined by the Baltimore fire, and which ones they are.

A great many people in Paducah who carry fire insurance are greatly alarmed, because they do not know whether they "have insurance now or not," as they express it.

Today the police commissioners were asked to put on an extra force of officers in the business part of the city to better guard against fire, and Chief of Police Collins this morning announced that he would put two additional men on tonight in the business section, making four regular police officers in all, in addition to the merchants policeman, and the private watchmen, many establishments last night having special watchmen.

A request was made of the commissioners this morning that five extra police officers be put in the business section, but this was not deemed necessary.

Stamp Deputy C. C. Rose, of the fire insurance underwriters, stated today that he did not think there was any danger of anyone here losing anything, even should their property burn and the company in which they are insured be one of those hard hit by the Baltimore fire. The laws nowadays, declared Mr. Rose, are so strict that policy holders in insurance companies are safeguarded against nearly every contingency.

Mr. Rose said that although many companies were ruined by the Chicago fire no policy holder lost a dollar, and he believed it would be the same way now.

THE DEDICATION

THE KENTUCKY BUILDING AT WORLD'S FAIR TO BE TURNED OVER TO STATE BY EXHIBIT ASSOCIATION.

The Kentucky Building at the Louisiana Purchase exposition will be fittingly dedicated on Saturday of this week, February 13, and all citizens of the state and former citizens now residents of other communities are invited to attend the ceremonies and help give the "New Kentucky Home" a rousing "house warming."

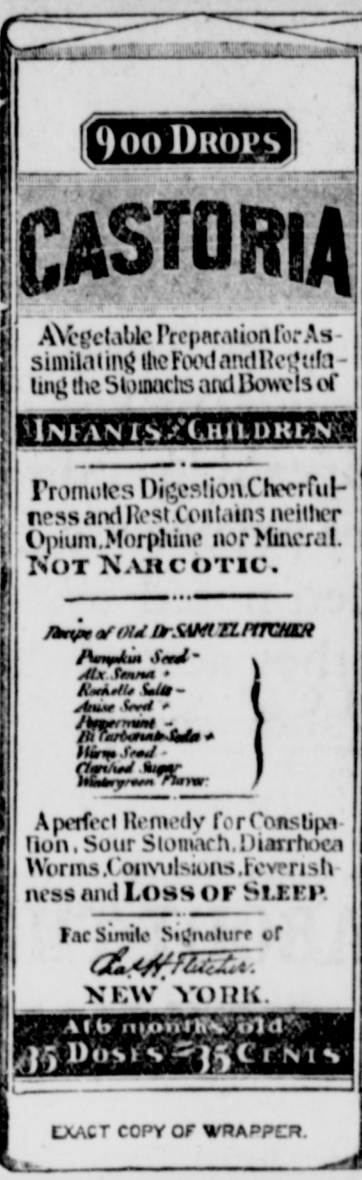
The general assembly, now in session at Frankfort, has accepted the invitation of the Kentucky Exhibit association to be present and the members, headed by Governor Beckham, will go over to St. Louis Friday in a special train, tendered the Exhibit association by the L. and N. railroad and Henderson Route. The dedication will be made the occasion of the formal transfer of the building from the Exhibit association to the commissioners, recently named by Governor Beckham, under the provisions of the act, making an appropriation of \$75,000 to supplement the fund raised by the association for the state's representation at the exposition.

On Friday night, February 12, prior to the departure of the train for the world's fair city, a banquet will be given the legislators by Louisville's Commercial organizations. Saturday's program includes an elaborate luncheon, given by President David R. Francis and other exposition officials, at the hall of congresses on the exposition grounds, before the speech-making, etc., in the Kentucky building, and a banquet by the Kentucky society of St. Louis.

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THE STROLLERS

By **FREDERIC S. ISHAM,**
Author of "Under the Rose"

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The cheering rumble of a carriage and the aspect of the not far distant town quickened her spirits and im-
parted elasticity to her footsteps. Up-
on the land baron they produced an
opposite effect, for he was obviously
reluctant to abandon the interview,
however unsatisfactory it might be.
There was nothing to say, and yet he
was loath to leave her. There was
nothing to accomplish, and yet he
wished to remain with her. For this
reason as they drew near the city his
mood became darker, like the night
around them. Instinctively she felt
the turbulent passions stirring in his
bosom. His sudden silence, his dogged
footsteps, reawakened her misgivings.
Furtively she regarded him, but his
eyes were fixed straight before him on
the soft luster above the city, the re-
flection of the lights, and she knew
and mistrusted his thoughts. Although
she found his silence more menacing
than his words, she could think of
nothing to say to break the spell, and
so they continued to walk mutely side
by side. An observer seeing them be-
neath the cypress, a lovers' promenade,
with its soft, enfolding shadows, would
have taken them for a well matched
couple who had no need for language.
But when they had emerged from that
romantic lane and entered the city the
land baron breathed more free-
ly. She was now surrounded by move-
ment and din; the seclusion of the
country gave way to the stir of the
city; she was no longer dependent on
his good offices; his role of protector
had ended when they left the cypress
walk behind them.
His brow cleared; he glanced at her
with ill concealed admiration; he
noticed with secret pride the attention
she attracted from passersby, the side-
long looks of approval that followed
her through the busy streets. The land
baron expanded into his old self; he
strode at her side, gratified by the
scrutiny she invited; assurance radiated
from his eyes like some magnetic heat;
he played at possession willfully, per-
versely. "Why not?" whispered Hope.
"A woman's mind is shifting ever. Her
fancy—a breath! The other is gone.
Why?"
"It was not accident my being in the
cemetery, Miss Carew," said Mauville,
suddenly covering her with his glance.
Meeting her look of surprise unflinch-
ingly, he continued: "I followed you
there; through the streets, into the
country! My seeing you first was
chance, my presence in the burial
ground the result of that chance. The
inevitable result!" he repeated softly.
"As inevitable as life! Life; what is it?
Influences which control us; forces
which bind us! It is you, or all; you or
nothing!"
She did not reply. His voice, vibrating
with feeling, touched no answering
chord. Nevertheless, a new, inexplic-
able wave of sorrow moved her. It might
be he had cared for her as sincerely as
it was possible for his wayward heart
to care for any one. Perhaps time
would yet soften his faults and temper
his rashness. With that shade of sor-
row for him there came compassion as
well; compassion that overlooked the
past and dwelt on the future.
She raised her steady eyes. "Why
should it be 'I' or nothing, as you put
it?" she finally answered slowly. "In-
fluences may control us in a measure,
but we may also strive for something.
We can always strive."
"For what? For what we don't
want? That's the philosophy of your
materialists, Miss Carew," he exclaimed.
"That's your modern ethics of duty.
The game isn't worth the candle. Or, if
you believe in striving," he added, half
resentfully, half imploringly, "strive to
care for me but a little. But a little!"
he said again. "I, who once wanted
all and would have nothing but all,
am content to ask, to plead, for but a
little."
"I see no reason," she replied weari-
ly, yet not unkindly, "why we should
not be friends."
"Friends?" he answered bitterly. "I
do not beg for a loaf, but a crumb, yet
you refuse me that! I will wait. Only
a word of encouragement. Will you
not give it?"
She turned and looked into his eyes,
and before she spoke he knew what
her answer would be.
"How can I?" she said simply. "Why
should I promise something I can never
fulfill?"
He held her glance as though loath
to have it leave him.
"May I see you again?" he asked
abruptly.
She shook her head. His gaze fell,
seeing no softening in her clear look.
"You are well named," he repeated,
more to himself than to her. "Con-
stance! You are constant in your dis-
likes as well as your likes."
"I have no dislike for you," she re-
plied. "It seems to have been left be-
hind me somewhere."
"Only indifference, then," he said
dully.
"No; not indifference!"
"You do care what—may become of
me?"
"You should do so much—be so much
in the world," she answered thought-
fully.
"Sans peur et sans reproche!" he
cried, half amused, half gleefully.

CHAPTER XXVIII.

"IN the will of the Marquis de
Ligne, probated yesterday, all of
the property, real and personal,
is left to his daughter, Con-
stance," wrote Straws in his paper
shortly after the passing of the French
nobleman. "The document states this
disposition of property is made as 'an
act of atonement and justice to my
daughter, whose mother I deserted,
taking advantage of the French law to
annul my marriage in England.' The
legitimacy of the birth of this, his
only child, is thereupon fully acknowl-
edged by the marquis after a lapse of
many years and long after the hereto-
fore unrecognized wife had died de-
serted and forgotten. Thrown on her
own resources, the young child, with
no other friend than Manager Barnes,
battled with the world, now playing in
taverns or barns, like the players of
interludes, the strollers of old, or 'vag-
abonds,' as the great and mighty Jun-
ius from his lofty plane termed them.
The story of that period of 'vagrant'
life adds one more chapter to the an-
nals of strolling players which al-
ready include such names as Kemble,
Siddons and Kean."
"From the Junius category to a pub-
lic favorite of New Orleans has been no
slight transition, and now to appear in
the role of daughter of a marquis and
heirress to a considerable estate—truly
man and woman, play many parts in
this brief span called life. But in mak-
ing her sole heir the marquis specifies
a condition which will bring regrets
to many of the admirers of the actress.
He robs her of her birthright from her
mother. The will stipulates that the
recipient give up her profession, not
because it is other than a noble one,
but that she may the better devote
herself to the duties of her new posi-
tion and by her beneficence and char-
ity remove the stain left upon an hon-
ored name by my second wife, the
Duchess d'Argens."

On the same day this public expo-
sition appeared Barnes and the young
actress were seated in the law office of
Marks & Culver, a room overlooking
a courtyard brightened by statues and
urns of flowers. While the manager
and Constance waited for the attorney
to appear they were discussing, not for
the first time, the proviso of the will
to which Straws had regretfully al-
luded.
"Yes," said Barnes, folding the news-
paper which contained Straws' article
and placing it in his pocket. "You
should certainly give up the stage. You
must think of the disappointments, the
possible failure, the slender reward.
There was your mother—such an ac-
tress! Yet toward the last the people
flocked to a younger rival. I have
often thought anxiously of your fu-
ture, for I am old—yes, there is no de-
nying it—and any day I may leave you,
dependent solely upon yourself."
"Do not speak like that," she an-
swered tenderly. "We shall be togeth-
er many, many years."
(TO BE CONTINUED.)

How Waiters Measure.
"Now!" said the head waiter, "that
man that just went out ain't worth
much. 'How do you know?' inquired
the favorite customer. "Oh, it's easy
for us waiters to take a man's meas-
ure." "I suppose you measure him
from tip to tip, eh?"—Philadelphia
Press.

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neck, chest and back. I had never seen
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Mrs. Helena Rath of 821 10th Ave., N. Y.
City. "The skin rose in little lumps,
and matter came
out. My baby's skin
was hot, and how
he did suffer. He
wouldn't eat, and
night after night I
walked the floor
with him, weak as I
was. Often I had
to stop because I
felt faint and my
back throbbed with pain. But the worst
pain of all was to see my poor little
boy burning with those nasty sores.
At last I was persuaded by a friend
across the street to try the Cuticura
Remedies. She gave me some Cuticura
Ointment—I think the box was about
half full—and a piece of Cuticura Soap.
I followed the directions, bathing
Charlie and putting that nice Ointment
on the sores. Little by little, but so
surely, Charlie and I both got more
peace by day and more sleep by night.
The sores sort of dried up and went
away, and now Charlie is cured com-
pletely."



"Yes, that fat little boy by the win-
dow is Charlie, and his skin is as white
as a snow flake, thanks to the Cuticura
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and if it is going to help other mothers
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George Owens, for seven years
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ta-nooga & St. Louis railway at Mem-
phis has resigned his position and will
leave Memphis Wednesday for Padu-
cah, where he will reside as the dis-
trict manager of a life insurance com-
pany. Mr. Owens has been in the
railroad service for nearly twenty
years, ten or twelve of which have
been spent in the employ of the Nash-
ville, Chattanooga & St. Louis rail-
way at Memphis and Somerville.

He leaves the service of the railroad
company at his own volition and to
enter a new field of endeavor in which
there are greater opportunities for out-
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remuneration.

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THE STAGES.
Cairo, 20.2—1.4 fall.
Chattanooga, 4.8—1.2 rise.
Cincinnati, 17.6—0.0 stand.
Evansville, 13.8—0.4 rise.
Florence, 1.3—0.0 stand.
Johnsonville, 8.2—0.1 fall.
Louisville, 8.4—1.2 rise.
Mt. Carmel, 16.9—1.8 rise.
Nashville, 4.9—0.6 rise.
Pittsburg, 19.2—5.9 fall.
Davis Island Dam, 18.4—5.3 fall.
St. Louis, 7.7—0.4 fall.
Paducah, 13.5—1.2 fall.

Observations taken at 7 a. m. River
13.5 on the gauge, a fall of 1.2 in the
last 24 hours. Weather clear and
warmer. Temperature 32 with north-
east winds.

River will continue to slowly fall for
24 hours and will then come up on a
slight rise.

Saunders A. Fowler,
Local Observer.

The Ingleside is still laying up here.
The Hook went into Tennessee river
this morning.

The Margaret is due out of the Ten-
nessee river today.

The J. B. Finley will leave this
port today for Louisville.

The Dick Fowler got away at 8
o'clock this morning for Cairo.

The Monie Bauer is due in a few
days from the Tennessee river.

The Cruiser came up from Cairo last
night with a tow of empty barges.

The Harry Brown, which repaired
a wheel here, went up to Louisville
this morning.

The Wilford went into Cumberland
river today. She has been at Joppa
unloading ties.

The Summers took a tow to Joppa
this morning. She had been ice bound
here with the ties.

The Penguin passed out of the Cum-
berland river this morning with ties
and is at Joppa unloading.

The Victor passed out of Tennessee
river this morning with a tow of ties.
She took the ties to Joppa to unload.

The Joe Fowler is due tomorrow
from Evansville and on Thursday the
Hopkins will begin running alternately
with her in the Evansville trade.

The Finley and Cruiser went up be-
hind the Sprague some time ago and
assisted several big tow boats down
into the Mississippi and are now going
up to bring out another tow.

The tie men are looking forward to
a good season. The A. & L. Co. is
preparing to bring out large numbers
of ties this summer and the other tie
companies are preparing to do likewise.

The Paducah Coopers company
has a large quantity of staves up Duck
river, and the Lulu Warren went up
for several barges of them but low wa-
ter has compelled her to lay up there
until a better stage of water prevails.

A Louisville paper says: The new
stern-wheel steamer Bob Blanks, which
has just been completed at the How-
ard ship yards in Jeffersonville, has
been launched and will leave this
week on her initial trip. The boat is
owned by John P. Parker, of Monroe,
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CHIEF ENGINEER

**MR. H. U. WALLACE PAID PA-
DUCAH A VISIT TODAY.**

Mr. H. U. Wallace, chief engineer
of the I. C., arrived in the city last
night and left this morning on a spe-
cial train for Louisville on an inspection
trip.

Mr. Wallace was met here by Supt.
A. H. Egan, of the Louisville divi-
sion of the I. C., who accompanied
him on the trip. They left at 7 o'clock
this morning and will reach Louisville
shortly after noon.

It is not known whether they will
return via Paducah or Evansville,
more probably the latter as this is the
route taken by Mr. Wallace when he
returns to Chicago.

**PRESIDENT HARPER HAS AP-
PENDICITIS.**

Chicago, Feb. 9.—President Har-
per, of the University of Chicago, is
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Allard Williams	1,350
Frank Harlan	460
Ed Clark	340
Uhas. Grim	289
Capt. John Staughtor	172
John Austin	125
Chas. Holliday	15
Chas. Barber	1

Most popular member of local union.

O. O. Hayman	305,224
Ed Englert	168,452
W. W. Estes	3,731
Harry Pixler	1,241
John C. Reavis	68
Jno Saunders	25
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Joe Randal	5
Dick Wood	1

Resident of the county.

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C. K. Lamond	96,786
Richard Bell	39,395
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Hannah Petter	3,712
Miss Maggie Williams	207
Miss Mamie Baynham	75
Miss Augusta List	58
Mr. James Scott	21
Miss Dorris Martin	10
H. Hogotte	1
School teacher.	
Miss Jessie Books	236,454
Miss Jessie Byrd	228,844
William Lawrence	149,234
Miss Lizzie Singleton	8,039
Miss Mabel Roberts	368
Miss Ellen Willis	329
Miss Maggie Acker	220
Ella Larkin	189
Miss Ada Brazelton	169
Prof. A. M. Rouse	111
Miss Etta Ware	100
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A DAY'S DEATHS

Mr. Tobe Etter, the Former Po-
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Had Been Ill Many Months—Mr. W.
D. Henson Dies From
Pneumonia.

AND SOME OTHER DEATHS

After a long illness, Mr. C. C. Etter
died last night at 9:15 o'clock at 421
Tennessee street. He had been in bad
health for about a year, and death
was not unexpected. Mr. Etter, who
was known everywhere as "Tobe,"
was for several years chief of the Pa-
ducah fire department, and subse-
quently was on the police force. For
the past two or three years, however,
he had been in the livery business
with his son, Mr. Charles Etter.

His death was due to a complica-
tion. He spent several months at
Dawson last summer, but was not
greatly improved. He was 55 years
old and a life-long resident of Padu-
cah. He was a good citizen, and a
well liked man. He was a member of
the Knights of Honor and of the Third
street M. E. church. He leaves one
son, Mr. Charles Etter, and two
daughters, Mrs. Carrie Carter and
Mrs. Rosa Eaker, wife of Mr. Frank
Eaker, the former policeman.

The funeral will take place tomor-
row afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the
Third street Methodist church, with
services conducted by Rev. W. B.
Hamilton. The burial will be at Oak
Grove.

Austin Darnell, the 20 months' old
son of Minnie Darnell, died at the
Home of the Friendless at 2:15 this
morning, of meningitis of the brain,
following an illness of measles. The
burial took place this afternoon at 4
o'clock at Oak Grove. Services were
conducted by Rev. W. H. Pinkerton
of the First Christian church.

The funeral of Mr. Henry Edging-
ton took place this afternoon at 2
o'clock at his late residence, 420 Ad-
ams street. The burial was at Oak
Grove. Mr. Edgington left four sis-
ters: Mrs. Fannie Newton, of Keokuk;
Mrs. Horace Sanders, Misses Annie and
Lizzie Edgington of this city.

Leon Comepean died on Burnett
street last night of dropsy. He was
about 40 years of age and left a wife
and three children. The burial will
take place tomorrow at the county
grave yard.

Mr. William D. Henson died last
night at 1240 North 18th street of
pneumonia. He was 23 years of age.
The funeral will take place at Maple
Springs cemetery in the county to-
morrow.

The two weeks old son of Mr. and
Mrs. W. T. Bright died yesterday at
the family home, 716 South Ninth
street. The burial took place this
morning at Mt. Carmel.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. H. G.
Gleason died in Rowlandtown and
was buried yesterday at the Compan
cemetery in the county.

Beatrice Fenwick, aged three
months, died of spinal trouble at
Heath in this county.

Robert Curry colored, a brake-
man employed by the I. C., was also
injured in the Clay Switch wreck yester-
day afternoon. He had a knee in-
jured in jumping from the train.

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